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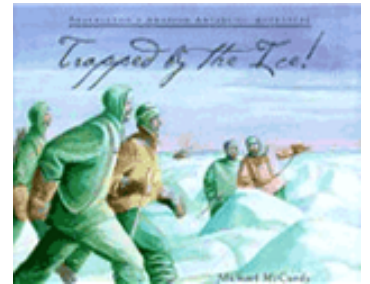
Theme 5

Voyagers



Title:

Trapped By the Ice



Author and Illustrator:

Michael McCurdy



Genre:

Narrative Nonfiction

a retelling of a true story in which a series of actual events come to life



Comprehension Strategy:

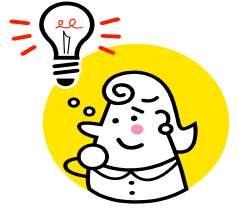
Monitor/Clarify

To ask questions about what you still need to understand

Did that
make sense?



Comprehension Skill:



Text Organization

Comprehension Skill Review:

Sequence of Event; Topic, Main Idea, Supporting Details

Spelling Focus:

The VCCV Pattern

Basic:

Monday	sudden	until
forget	happen	follow
dollar	window	hello
market	pretty	order

Review:
after
funny

Challenge:
stubborn
expect

Key Concept:

Sir Ernest Shackleton's
historic Antarctic
Journey



Key Vocabulary:

barren- having little plant or animal life



crevasse- deep hole or crack



deserted- empty; not lived in, or having few or no people

floes- large sheets of floating ice



grueling- very tiring

impassable- not able to be crossed
or traveled through

perilous- very dangerous

terrain- land, ground, or earth

Other Vocabulary:

horizon- the line where the earth
and the sky meet

delay- wait until later to do
something

rations- supplies, usually food, that are limited

hulk- the body of an old or wrecked ship; something large and clumsy

stranded- trapped or stuck in a difficult situation

startled- surprised, alarmed, or shocked

stern- the rear part of a ship or boat

tremble- to shake or shiver

skipper- captain

executing- carrying out or doing

sledge- a sled, usually pulled by animals, used to carry loads across snow and ice



harnessed- wearing straps attached to a vehicle or tool such as a sled or plow

current- the path or flow of moving water, such as a river or sea

scarce- not enough

lunged- moved forward suddenly

stalking- moving secretly while tracking prey

sapped- weakened

savage- wild

furiously- violently

dehydration- sickness caused by not having enough water

quench- to satisfy

exhausting- very tiring

jagged- ragged, full or parts sticking up and out

pitched- put up (tents)

permanent- meant to last for a long time

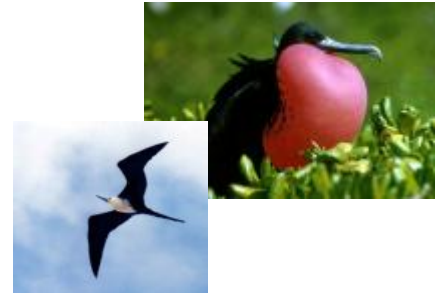
hut- small, simple house or shelter

cramped- crowded

wick- the cord that burns on
a candle or a lamp



frigate birds- a type
of sea bird



rancid- having a nasty smell or taste

tiller- part used to steer a boat

impact- crash

bailed- got water out of a boat by filling containers and emptying them, over and over

hull- the body or frame of a ship or boat

capsizing- turning bottom side up

dimly- not seen easily or clearly

miraculously- amazingly; seemingly impossible

temporary- lasting for only a short time

albatross- a large sea bird



summit- the highest point

gamble- a risky action

makeshift- something used a temporary substitute for something else

reckless- not careful or cautious

torrents- violent, fast moving
streams of liquid

Vocabulary Skills:

Homophones



Word Work:

Grammar Skills:

Possessive Pronouns

Writing:

Write a Learning Log Entry;

Writing Dates and Times

Listening/Speaking/Viewing:
**Practice Group Problem
Solving**

Spiral Review:

**Comprehension: Fact and
Opinion; Categorize and
Classify**

**Grammar: Present, Past, and
Future Time; What is a
Verb?**

Dictionary: Parts of Speech